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FM AMEMBASSY CONAKRY

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INFO AMEMBASSY ABIDJAN

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AMEMBASSY KINSHASA

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DEPT PLEASE PASS AMEMBASSY BEIRUT

EO 11652: N/A

TAGS: SREF LE CG

SUBJ: LEBANESE IN GUINEA

REF: BEIRUT 5956

THERE HAVE BEEN NO LEBANESE REFUGEES ARRIVING IN GUINEA. THE LEBANESE COMMUNITY IN GUINEA HAS BEEN REDUCED IN PAST SEVERAL YEARS FROM ABOUT 5,000 TO SOME 250 PERSONS. THOSE REMAINING FIND IT DIFFICULT TO MAKE LIVING AND VERY EXISTENCE IS RIGOROUS. MANY ARE SHOP OWNERS WITH ENPTY SHOPS. MANY ARE PROPERTY OWNERS AND EKE OUT LIVING ON RENTS OF TOTALLY WORTHLESS CURRENCY. THERE IS NO PRIVATE ENTERPRISE AND INDEED LITTLE TO BUY OR SELL. THEREFORE IT IS HIGHLY UNLIKELY THAT REFUGEES FROM STRIFE IN LEBANON WILL SEEK TO FIND A HAVEN IN GUINEA'S SOCIALIST PARADISE. HARROP

NOTE BY OC/T: NOT PASSED AMEMBASSY BEIRUT.

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